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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))	Attorney Docket No.	198049US0DIV
	First Inventor or Application Identifier	Hubert MEIXNER
	Title	THE USE OF CROSSLINKED NITROGENOUS COMPOUNDS WHICH ARE SOLUBLE OR DISPERSIBLE IN WATER IN DETERGENTS AND CLEANERS

<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b> See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents	<b>ADDRESS TO:</b> Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231
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**REQUEST FOR PRIORITY**

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SIR:

- ☒ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/500,534, filed February 9, 2000, which is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/284,456, filed May 12, 1999, (now U.S. Patent Number 6,083,898, Issued July 4, 2000), which was originally filed as International application Number PCT/EP97/05744, filed October 17, 1997, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120.
- ☐ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Provisional Application Serial Number , filed , is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
- ☒ Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119, as noted below.

In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority:

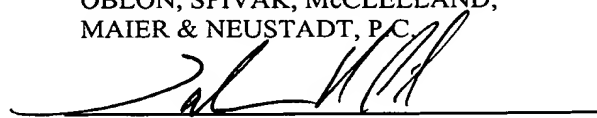
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- ☐ are submitted herewith
- ☐ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee
- ☐ were filed in prior application Serial No. filed
- ☒ were submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number PCT/EP97/05744, filed on October 17, 1997. Receipt of the certified copies by the International Bureau in a timely manner under PCT Rule 17.1(a) has been acknowledged as evidenced by the attached PCT/IB/304.
- ☐ (A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and  
(B) Application Serial No.(s)
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